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ELECTION OF SPECIES

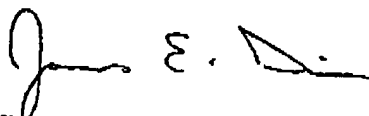
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This letter is in response to the Office action dated January 2, 2003 in which an election of species for prosecution on the merits was requested.

Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, polyethylene glycol as the species for examination on the merits. Claims 1-9, 12-21 and 24-28 read on the elected species. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications directed to the subject matter of the non-elected species.

It is not believed that any fee is required by the timely submission of this election. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment of fees to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,



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